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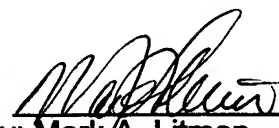
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**The following documents are being submitted:**

- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages)
- ☒ Form 1449 (1 pages)
- ☒ Copies of 4 Foreign application, 10 Japanese Abstracts, 4 References
- ☒ Transmittal Sheet
- ☒ Return postcard

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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b) or (c)**

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Applicant(s) respectfully submit(s) the items of information on the enclosed Form 1449 for the attention of the Examiner in the above-identified application.

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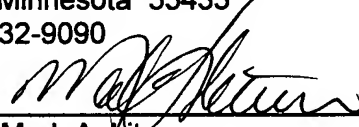
Consideration of the items listed is respectfully requested. According to M.P.E.P. §609, Applicant(s) request(s) that the Examiner return a copy of the attached Form 1449, marked as being considered and initialed by the Examiner, to the undersigned with the next official communication.

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